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MEMORANDUM FOR: Deputy Director (Support)

SUBJECT: Interview with Roger D. Fisher

REFERENCE: Memo for the Record fr DD/S, dtd 3 Feb 56, same subject

1. I agree completely with the substance of your memorandum of 3 February 1956 as reflecting accurately our discussion with Mr. Roger D. Fisher. I feel there is one matter you have not covered completely which may be raised by Mr. Fisher. Several times, as I recall, we touched on the fact that building in the District would be far more expensive due to the acquisition of land and the nature of the building, so that the cost would more than balance the cost of road construction required for Langley. Mr. Fisher seemed to find this hard to believe and I think we may well find that he will try to establish some figures in an effort to demonstrate that the total cost at the Langley site will be in excess of the cost of a District building.

2. In an election year Mr. Fisher may have some success, if he can construct figures that look plausible. You may have the information ready to answer such a campaign while I hope I am wrong it seemed rather an obvious one for him to take up.

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SA/DCI (Grogan)  
Legislative Counsel

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2. Attended a meeting between Col. White and Cong. Joel Broyhill on certain aspects of the CIA building. Cong. Broyhill brought along a friend who was interested in participating in the architectural work in connection with the building. The Congressman stated that he was not looking for any specific commitments, but that he would like an agreement in principle that local citizens of Northern Virginia be given an opportunity to bid on aspects of the planning and construction of the building and on the running of any concessions which CIA may desire to have, such as cafeterias, etc. Col. White indicated that no commitments could be made, but that he would bear in mind the Congressman's request. The Congressman and his architect friend, Mr. Willgoos, were advised to make direct contact with GSA and with Harrison & Abramovitz on the architectural matter. 9 Feb. '56

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